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## SUBMISSION OF SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a Supplemental Combined Declaration And Power Of Attorney For Patent Application executed by the inventors, for the above-identified patent application.

The Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney filed with the Application on March 1, 2002 did not include foreign priority application 264386/96 filed October 4, 1996 from which the Applicants claim benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119. This foreign priority application was, however, included in the Application Data Sheet. Applicants submit this Supplemental Declaration to correct this inadvertent omission from the previously filed Declaration.

Applicants also intend to file a Second Preliminary Amendment to incorporate the omitted foreign priority application into the recitation of the continuing history in the specification.

Entry of this Supplemental Declaration is respectfully requested.

While it is not believed necessary to include any fee with this submission, in the event it is determined that a fee is due for the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

			(Yes/No)	
Country	Application No.	Filed (Day/Mo./Yr.)	Priority Claimed	
Japan	39389	March 10, 1994	Yes	
Japan	45441	March 6, 1995	Yes	
Japan	260100	October 6, 1995	Yes	
Japan	41709	February 28, 1996	Yes	
Japan	264386	October 4, 1996	Yes	

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States applications listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Application No.	Filed (Day/Mo./Yr.)	Status (Patented/Pending/Abandoned)
08/401,237	03/09/1995	Abandoned
08/863,717	05/27/1997	Patented
09/161,775	09/29/1998	Pending
08/729,722	10/07/1996	Patented
09/212,432	12/16/1998	Patented
09/734,667	12/13/2000	Abandoned
08/807,604	02/27/1997	Patented
09/840,895	04/25/2001	Pending
09/933,711	08/22/2001	Abandoned

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